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Witness Says He Aided In Mayflower 'Bugging'

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Star Staff WriterMarch 1, 1962. The room was
close to the suite occupied byMr. Dungan and the witness
said he turned the key of his
rented room over to Mr. Frank
and Mr. Angelone.

Says He Saws 3 in Room

Later that day, he said, he
saw the two detectives and Mr.
Shimon in the room. He said
Mr. Shimon was holding a trans-
mitter in his hands.Mr. Weaver said he was in
the rented room on and off for
five days. He said the voices he
heard coming over the receiver
appeared to be discussing "ne-
gotiations before an administra-
tive agency."He said he had received phone
calls from Mr. Shimon during
their five-day stay at the hotel
and that their password for get-
ting into their room was "Swee-
ney."The economist, who said he
sometimes left the hotel by the
fire escape, talked of his being
present with Mr. Shimon and
Mr. Angelone when some photo-
copies of documents in another
room of the hotel were being
made two weeks before the al-
leged bugging incident. He did
not elaborate.

Is Under Indictment

Mr. Shimon now is under in-
dictment on a charge of con-
spiring to obstruct justice and
causing the operation of a
"bug" in connection with the
Mayflower case. But he is not a
defendant in this trial, now in
its second day.Mr. Dungan, who took the
stand later in the day, con-
firmed that the transmitting de-
vice had been found under a
coffee table in his suite.After the discovery, he said,
he walked out of the suite and
down the corridor to a point
near the room the detectives al-
legedly rented. He said he could
hear the voice of a guest in his
suite coming out of "Room 639."

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